

NEWS FROM MEXICO

San Jose Organized as a Ward—Good Crop Conditions Reported

SAN JOSE, Mexico, Sept. 15, 1911.

EDITOR GUARDIAN:—Ward conference convened here on the 12th and there were present: Elder Geo. F. Richards, of the Quorum of Seventies, Stake Presidency, with a number of brethren and sisters representing other organizations. Their party consisted of twenty-two members. These brethren have just come over from Chihuahua, where they have been making a tour of all the colonies.

San Jose has been a branch of Morelos ward for several years, but now is a full-fledged ward, with G. A. Martineau, as bishop and Samuel E. Western and Alva Langford as counselors. All of the other organizations have been put in order and we are starting out with a clean sheet and we hope our voyage will be a success.

There are twenty-five families here. The majority have no surplus of this world's goods, but hope, in the course of a few years, to become well-to-do in this fertile valley with such a good climate and enough water to get along with to make a good crop of wheat, and sometimes a very good second crop. Early corn and cane are now being harvested and are good. The recent rains have brought up a new crop of grass which makes the stockman glad and the farmer smile.

The first crop of melons is gone and the second crop, planted in July, is nearly ready for use.

Mrs. Ida Chlarson returned a short time ago from Central, Arizona where she has been visiting her mother and relatives.

The little baby of Mr. and Mrs. Don Rust was blessed by Apostle George F. Richards last Tuesday at meeting.

School started here on the 13th, with Leo Aldridge as principal, Little May Langford and Elzadie Martineau as assistants.

The Littlewhite Bros. are shipping considerable flour to Nacozari, by way of Agua Prieta. Teams will start in the morning with the first of a carload.

J. H. Langford and son, Alva, will start for the same point, hauling their flour all the way by team.

A number of our young folks have gone to Juarez to attend the Academy this year.

Conference will convene in Juarez on the 23d and 24th of the present month.

J. H. LANGFORD

ST. JOSEPH STAKE NEWS

Home Mission Appointments for the Month of September

Artesia-Lebanon—Elam Olson and Fred Jacobson.

Lebanon-Artesia—J. C. Ellsworth and George A. Zundel.

Layton—D. D. Jones and J. W. Blazard.

Thatcher—William Bigler and David Adams.

Pima—Evans Coleman and Marion Lee.

Central-Graham—David Birdno and Frank A. Curtis.

Graham-Central—Lorin Hatch and Frank Robinson.

Matthews-Eden—C. E. Ferrin and P. H. Teeples.

Eden-Matthews—J. H. Mangum and Fred Webb.

Bryce-Hubbard—H. W. Crockett and Reece Green.

Hubbard-Bryce—P. A. Norton and D. D. Phillips.

Emery—James H. Mack and Thomas Fuller, Jr.

Second and fourth Sundays are regular missionary days, but appointments may be filled in any of the wards except Layton, Thatcher or Pima, on the first, second or fourth Sundays.

J. H. LARSON,
R. G. LAYTON,
Home Mission Committee.

Digestion Assimilation

It is not the quantity of food taken but the amount digested and assimilated that gives strength and vitality to the system. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and enable them to perform their functions naturally. For sale by Safford Drug Co.

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every garment guaranteed

WORK HAS BEGUN

Southwestern Is Pushing the Grade Toward Tucson

A dispatch from Benson states: Most of the contractors now have their camps thoroughly established and the work on the construction of the E. P. & S. W. is being carried forward with considerable rapidity.

The cement contractors have received their concrete mixers and are receiving cement by the carload, which is being hauled to the various camps.

The first steam shovel, 10-ton locomotive, dump cars, mules and other equipment, has arrived and the men to operate the outfit are on the ground. Three more steam shovels to be used on the work will arrive later.

Laborers are arriving in Benson daily and all are finding work.

I WANT TO BUY

CHICKENS, BUTTER, EGGS, APPLES, Etc.

FROM THE PRODUCER

Get your money when goods are delivered. If you have anything to sell, address

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No trouble to answer questions

DR. S. B. RIAL

Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist

OFFICE

G. J. Hatch's Stable, Thatcher

ORDINANCE NO. 58

Amendment to Ordinance Number 52

Prescribing licenses for business concerns in general in the Town of Safford. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the Town of Safford, Graham County, Territory of Arizona, that ordinance No. 52 be, and the same is hereby amended, to read as follows:

Section 1. A license tax shall be paid by all persons, companies or corporations, following or engaged in any pursuit, business, trade or occupation hereinafter named, in the Town of Safford, Territory of Arizona, as follows:

1. Every retail dealer in merchandise carrying a stock of the value of \$10,000.00 or over, shall be first class and shall pay the sum of \$10.00 per quarter.

2. Those carrying a stock of \$5,000.00 and under \$10,000.00, shall be second class, and shall pay \$5.00 semi-annually.

3. Those carrying a stock under \$5,000.00, shall pay \$10.00 semi-annually.

4. Retail dealers in dry goods and groceries, \$15.00 semi-annually.

5. Dry goods and furnishings, \$15.00 semi-annually.

6. Ladies' and or gent's furnishings, \$10.00 semi-annually.

7. Groceries, with tobacco, candies and fruits, \$10.00 semi-annually.

8. Groceries, confections and soft drinks, cigars and tobacco, \$10.00 per annum.

9. Hardware, \$15.00 semi-annually.

10. Furniture, \$10.00 semi-annually.

11. Druggists' stock, \$15.00 semi-annually.

12. Keepers of hotels, 25 cents a room, \$15.00 per quarter.

13. Keepers of lodging houses, \$10.00 per annum.

14. Restaurants, \$10.00 per annum.

15. Boarding houses, with four or more boarders, \$10.00 per annum.

16. Bakeries, \$10.00 per annum.

17. Harness and saddle makers and dealers, \$10.00 per annum.

18. Blacksmiths, \$10.00 per annum.

19. Photograph galleries, \$10.00 per annum.

20. Auto garage and auto repairing, \$10.00 per annum.

21. Barber shops, per chair, \$10.00 per annum.

22. Livery and feed stables, \$10.00 semi-annually.

23. Meat markets, \$15.00 per annum.

24. Lumber yards, \$10.00 per annum.

25. Ice plants and creameries, \$10.00 per quarter.

26. Banks of loan and discount, \$10.00 per annum.

27. Drays and express, each wagon, \$10.00 per annum.

28. Manufacturers of soda water, \$10.00 per annum.

29. Flour mills, four rolls or more, \$10.00 per annum.

30. Flour mills, less than four rolls, \$10.00 per annum.

31. Wholesale grocers, \$10.00 per quarter.

32. Wholesale dealers in oil and gasoline, \$10.00 per annum.

33. Churches, \$10.00 semi-annually.

34. Moving picture shows, \$10.00 semi-annually.

35. To shops and plumbers, \$10.00 per annum.

36. Cleaning establishments, \$10.00 per annum.

37. Printing business, \$10.00 per annum.

38. Pool and billiards, for first table, \$20.00 per annum.

39. Pool and billiards, for each additional table, \$2.00 per annum.

40. Games of chance, such as throwing rings over knives, and like games, \$5.00 per day.

41. Cruises, for each performance, \$50.00.

42. Showing galleries, \$1.00 per day.

43. Dog and pony, and like shows, \$25.00 per show.

44. Street carnivals, for each tent or separate show, \$2.00 per day.

45. Repair shops for motorcycles, bicycles, etc., \$10.00 per annum.

Section 2. The licenses mentioned in this ordinance shall be paid in advance. Any one violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof, shall be fined by the court not less than twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars, nor more than Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, posting and publication.

Passed by the Common Council of the Town of Safford, Graham County, Arizona Territory, in session assembled this 15th day of September, A. D., 1911.

GEORGE F. JACOBSON,
Mayor of the Town of Safford, Arizona Territory.

R. S. PATTERSON,
Town Clerk of the Town of Safford, Arizona Territory.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Mental No. 0215.

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona.

September 19, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that James Edward Reynolds, of Ft. Thomas, Arizona, who, on August 26, 1907, made homestead entry No. 00015, for NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 19, Township 14 South, Range 23 East, G. and S. R. B. and M., has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Albert T. Collier, U. S. Commissioner, at Safford, Arizona, on the 26th day of October, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses:

George W. Wyatt, Cecil Wright, Edward W. Black, Hugh A. McBeath, all of Geronimo, Arizona.

FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

Electric Lights

for Residences and Hotels

L. G. HABY,

Safford, Ariz. ox 328

The Gila Valley Bank and Trust Company

Condensed Report, Sept. 1, 1911

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$625,490.09
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	58,932.17
Other Real Estate	6,760.90
Bonds, Stocks and Securities	98,702.47
Cash and Sight Exchange	621,694.59
Total	\$1,411,580.22

LIABILITIES

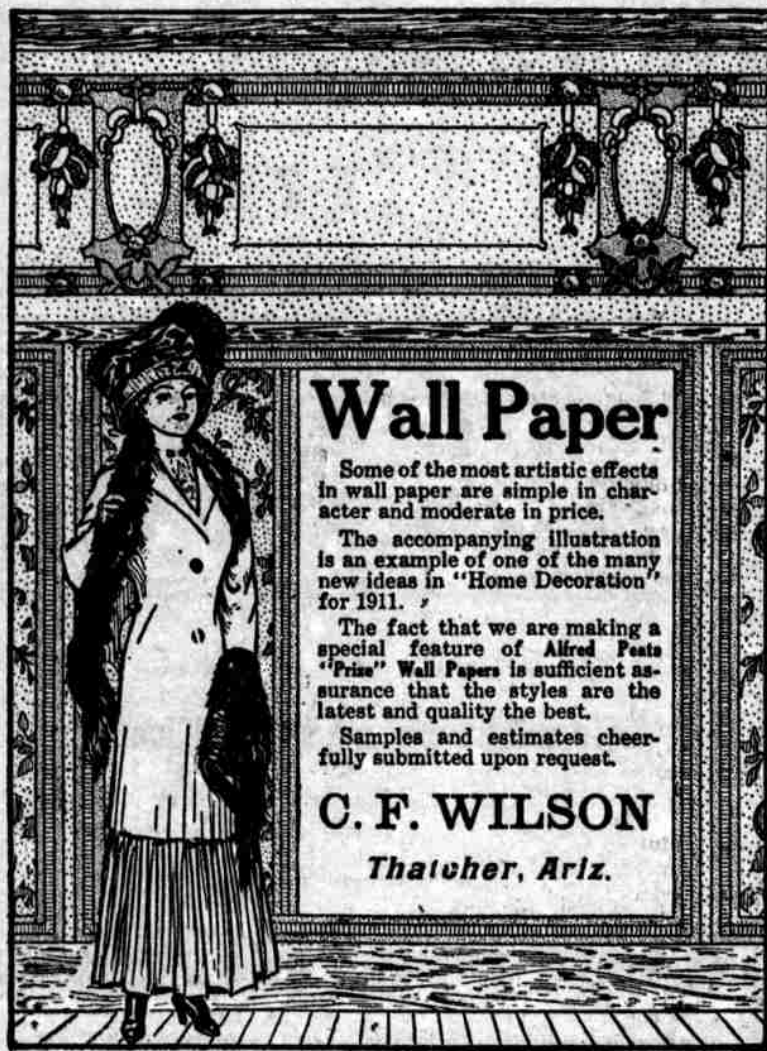
Capital and Surplus	\$160,000.00
Undivided Profits	9,004.35
Loans Contingent	4,273.10
DEPOSITS	1,238,302.77
Total	\$1,411,580.22

Reserve, 50 per cent.

Four per cent Interest on Time Deposits

DIRECTORS

C. E. Mills, George A. Olney, L. D. Ricketts,
T. A. Pascoe, A. T. Thompson, H. S. Van Gorder,
R. B. Hegardt, E. M. Hurd, Dr. Henry Deitrich
W. P. Lathrop, Local Manager, Safford, Ariz.



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C. F. WILSON
Thatcher, Ariz.

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SUMMONS

In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

Norton Morgan Commercial Company, Plaintiff,

Carrie C. Johnson, Henry Ruhwedel, David Cross, Eliza J. McCready, Eliza J. Eakin, Mary E. Donnelly, Maggie Dove, R. E. Donnelly, Mary E. Kelly and the Territory of Arizona, Defendants.

Action brought in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to Carrie C. Johnson, Henry Ruhwedel, David Cross, Eliza J. McCready, Eliza J. Eakin, Mary E. Donnelly, Maggie Dove, R. E. Donnelly, Mary E. Kelly and the Territory of Arizona.

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of the above entitled court at Solomonville, in the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona, within twenty days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons, if served in this county, in all other cases within thirty days.

You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as required by law judgment by default will be taken against you.

Given under my hand and seal of the District Court, affixed hereto, at Solomonville this 9th day of August, 1911.

R. W. SMITH, Clerk

Notice to Creditors

Estate of Rafael Martinez, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Rafael Martinez, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix at Safford, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county, of Rafael Martinez.

MIGUELA DE MARTINEZ,
Administratrix of Rafael Martinez, deceased.

Dated September 1, 1911. 29-41

Notice to Creditors

Estate of Horace L. Johnson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Horace L. Johnson, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix, at Thatcher, Graham County, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county, of Horace L. Johnson, deceased.

ALVA E. JOHNSON,
Administratrix of the estate of Horace L. Johnson, deceased.

Dated this 1st day of September, 1911. 29-41

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SUMMONS

In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

That we, D. M. Rogers, W. A. Pitt, E. M. Plumb, N. J. Roseberry and G. A. Matthews, hereby associate ourselves together to form a corporation under the laws of the Territory of Arizona.

The name of this corporation shall be The Ash Creek Farmers' Irrigating Company, and its principal place of business shall be on and near Ash Creek, on the north side of the Graham mountains in the county of Graham, in said Territory, and between three and twenty miles southerly from the town of Safford, and the same shall have offices at other places in said county.

The general business of this corporation shall be to acquire, hold, own, cultivate and operate ditches, canals, reservoirs, and all appurtenances necessary to divert, convey, store and apply water to irrigate land for the raising of all kinds of crops; also for use in mining, for live stock, domestic, culinary and all beneficial uses; and to acquire, own and use all kinds of property and means necessary or desirable to carry on such business; and to acquire, hold, own lands and all other kinds of property to carry on farming, mining, stock raising, milling and merchandising; and to operate the same, principally on and in the vicinity of said Ash Creek.

The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Two Thousand Dollars, divided into one hundred shares of the face value of One Hundred Dollars each, payable as the board of directors shall order.

The affairs of this corporation shall be conducted by a board of five directors, to be elected annually, or whenever necessary, by a majority vote of the stockholders, and each of them shall hold office for one year and until their successors are elected and qualified, but shall be subject to removal from such office at any regular meeting, by a majority vote of all said stock issued and held as aforesaid. Said directors shall hold their meetings at the established place of business of the company, and at such times as they see fit. As soon as may be convenient after their election, said directors shall elect one secretary, and the remaining four directors shall be ex-officio vice presidents, all of said corporation.

The existence of said corporation shall begin on the filing of these Articles of Incorporation for record in the office of the county recorder of said county, and said corporation shall endure for twenty-five years from and after the date of said filing.

The indebtedness of this corporation shall not exceed Five Thousand Dollars, and all private property of said stockholders shall be exempt from all corporate debts.

JOSEPH BIGLER,
WILLIAM WILLIAMS,
EDWARD W. CLARK,
WILLIAM T. CLARK,
D. GOODMAN,
W. C. ROBINSON,
A. M. CLUFF,
C. M. BROWN.

Territory of Arizona, ss:
County of Graham, ss:
I, William Williams, William T. Clark, J. D. Goodman, W. C. Robinson, A. M. Cluff, Joseph Bigler, Clarence Bigler, Edward W. Clark, R. T. Clark, each for himself and not one for the other, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to these foregoing instruments, this day personally appeared before me, D. E. Jones, a notary public in and for said county, and acknowledged to me that they executed said instrument for the purposes and consideration therein stated. Witness my official hand the 11th day of July, 1911.

(Seal) D. E. JONES, Notary Public.
My commission expires March 4, 1914.

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SUMMONS

In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

E. T. Jams, plaintiff.

J. W. Clark, Dexter Clark, Reuben Clark and their unknown heirs and executors and administrators, defendants.

Action brought in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

The Territory of Arizona, sends greeting to J. W. Clark, Dexter Clark, Reuben Clark and their unknown heirs, executors and administrators.

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of the above entitled court at Solomonville, in the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona, within twenty days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons, if served in this county, in all other cases within thirty days.

You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as required by law judgment by default will be taken against you.

Given under my hand and seal of the District Court, affixed hereto, at Solomonville this 29th day of August, 1911.

R. W. SMITH, Clerk.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF THE

Nevada Extension Canal Co.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That we, D. M. Rogers, W. A. Pitt, E. M. Plumb, N. J. Roseberry and G. A. Matthews, hereby associate ourselves together to form a corporation under the laws of the Territory of Arizona.

The name of this corporation shall be The Nevada Extension Canal Company, and its principal place of business shall be in Fairview, Graham County, Arizona.

The general nature of the business proposed to be transacted by this corporation is the building, owning, controlling, leasing, purchasing or otherwise acquiring ditches, canals, reservoirs, dams, water rights, flumes, pipes, siphons, ditch-laterals, lands, or other things needed to promote or use any sort of irrigation appliances, and more especially to build, own and operate the present Nevada Canal, to build, own and conduct an extension of the Nevada Canal from the east bank of the Bear River, just below the Arizona Eastern Railroad bridge, running in a northerly direction and terminating at the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 23, in Township 6 S., Range 24 E., East of the Gila and Salt River Meridian in Graham County, Arizona.

The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be \$50,000.00, and it shall be divided into 500 shares of \$100.00 each. The capital stock of this corporation shall be paid into the corporation at such times and on such terms as the board of directors of this corporation shall require.

This corporation shall go into effect on the 1st day of October, 1911, and it shall continue in existence until the 31st day of September, 1936, but this corporation reserves the right to renew its corporate existence for any period of twenty-five years after the present term of existence shall have expired, as the privileges are now given by the laws of the Territory of Arizona.

The affairs of this corporation shall be conducted by a board of five directors, to be elected annually, or whenever necessary, by a majority vote of the stockholders, and each of them shall hold office for one year and until their successors are elected and qualified.

The directors of this corporation shall be elected annually at an election of the stockholders to be held on the first Monday in January of each year, as long as this corporation shall remain in existence.

The highest amount of indebted